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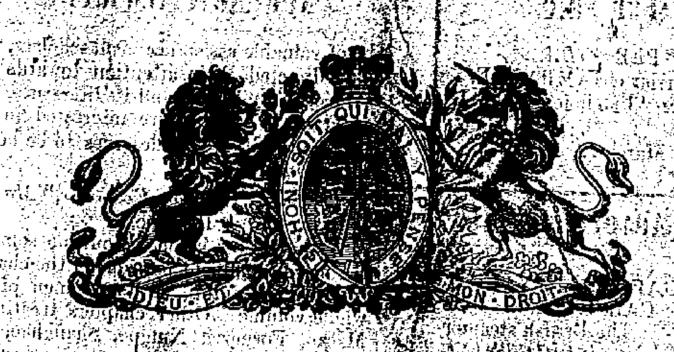
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Hongkong, February 18, 1869.

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 15, 1869. BONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

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Bedroom and Rocking Chairs Sidebard Whatnots, Glassware Din and Dessert Service, Floor and Stair Lippes (nearly new), Marble-top Tables stove, Garaliera, Wardrobe, ow the with Poles, etc., a Pian

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FRIDAY & SATURDAY.

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ROLLINGTON Hongkeng, January 9, 1866 PUBLIC AUCTION

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C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

LEOPOLD FRICKEL, Plaintiff,

the Plaintiff to the Defendant for money largewhen maded had and received by the Defendant for the The authorized Agents for necessing use of the Plaintiff and for money paid by vertisements and Subscriptions are the Plaintiff for the Defendant at his request, and it being alleged that the said Amos Dickens Mitchell does not reside within this Island or its dependencies, a writ of Foreign Attachment has been issued returnable on the Nineteenth day of April instant, wherein Lawrence P. Ward and George E. Lane, of Hongkong, are Gar-

Plaintiffs Attornry. ap10 TO SHIP MASTERS AND OTHERS TENDERS will be received by the Undersigned for the Conveyance of 300 Hogsheads of PORTER, from Hongkong to Yokohama, in a British Vessel. It must be stated in the Tender the rate per ton of 40 feet, cask measurement, and when the Vessel will sail from hence.

A. H. PRICE Naval Storekeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, April 7, 1869.

NIEITHER the Captain, Owners, or Agents of the Steamer "West Indian" Shanghai, reports: anchored in river eight will be Responsible for any DEBT or hours on account of fog, and was obliged to DEBTS, contracted by her Crew during JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 5, 1869.

INJANTED a Female SERVANT to go VV to England in a sailing ship, to at-Island; 13th, passed Hunter's Rock; 19th | tend on a Lady and Baby, one that can make herself generally useful. Apply immediately at STAG HOTEL. Hongkong, April 2, 1869.

> FAWCETT & Co., CHIP CHANDLERS, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS. WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, SAIL MAKERS.

COMMISSION AGENTS, Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

MORRIS & Co.,

AUCTIONEERS. NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS. QUEEN'S ROAD, Honokong.

罢ITAVE this day Removed their公

Hongkong,

1st April, 1869.

PILGRIMAGE TO SANCIAN. THE Very Reverend Mongr. GILLEMIN having fixed SUNDAY, the 11th April next, for the consecration of the Chapel erected over the grave of St. FRANCIS XAVIER. The steamer will start from will, in pursuance of the said Section, de- Hongkong direct to Sancian on SATUR-

> Secretary. Hongkong, March 24, 1869.

KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. NOTICE.

F. A. WHEELER, HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER. 26, Queen's Road, (Opposite LANE & CRAWFORD'S.)

Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

New Advertisements.

THE SHANGHAI NEWS-LETTER.

AMOS DICKENS MITCHELL, De-

MATHEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of FRANCISCO and American Ports | the above named Leopold Frickel, against the above named Amos Dickens Mitchell to recover the sum of Three Thousand Five

> Notice is hereby given thereof, and that if at any time before final judgment in this Action, the said Amos Dickens Mitchell or any person on his behalf, will give the security, and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island, intituled "An Ordinauce to provide for and regulate process in Actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony the said Attachment may be dissolved. Dated this Third day of April, 1869. HENRY C. CALDWELL,

Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

CHAWFORD & Co., Queen's Road. (Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)

BOWRA & Co.,

Office to the Rooms above the Offices of H. C. CALDWELL, Esq.

tions for future contingencies, shall be di- will be received on board without a ticket. J. SOUZA,

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG

HE Company's OFFICES are this day REMOVED to the Ground Floor of Messrs Robert S. Walker & Co.'s House at the corner of Ice House Street. Hongkong, March 19, 1869.

NOTICE.

L'NLARGED to double its former size,

now affords a better medium of intelligence from this quarter of the world. It is published for the transmission of all the current Mercantile, Political, and General News of China and Japan, by the Pacific Mail Steamers to America and Europe Hundred and Fifteen Dollars and Thirty- Two Dollars of It as had per thanks

> Mr.J. W. Sullivan, 609, Sansome Street, San Francisco. London & China Express, 2, Cowper's Court. Cornhill. London

> Messrs WM. H. Food & Co., 32, Burling Slip, New York. Morris & Co., Hongkong. Messrs H. Fogg & Co., Bund, Shanghai. Shanghai, March 20, 1869.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS. IS published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mails, and contains-Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and

Foreign News. Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c. Leading Articles on the principal interests of China.

Digest of Home Opinions on China Sub- All lots with all faults and errors of de-List of Passengers by the current and succeeding Mails. Naval and Military News.

Births, Marriages, and Deaths. Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c. Market Reports, Shipping News, Freights, Exchanges, &c., from London and the Continent, New York, &c. Statistics of Imports and Exports.

Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. and O. Mails. Subscription-\$12 per. Annum. With

Export Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies, MORRIS & Co., Agent Queen's Road. Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DENT & Co. Kales, From Bedsteads with Spring Mat-

Second DIVIDEND of Five per cent upon the amount of all claims admit ted by the Trustees will be paid on the On application to Mr G. OVERBECK

and at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Ped der's Hill, Creditors will be Furnished with Warrants signed by the Trustees, which will be payable at the Office of the Hong-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-

Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE - On and after the first day of March next, the office of this Company, situated over the Hongkong Dis-PENSARY will be closed. Letters can how- fall of the hammer, ever be left as heretofore in a box placed for the purpose within the same building. The Company's Stock of Chandeliers and other Fittings will, after the above date, be on view at the premises of Messrs LANE,

A. NEWTON, Hougkong, February 18, 1869.

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE DIVIDEND declared for the year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, # \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, payable on and after MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply

for Warrants. By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK.

ING CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ATOMICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz.:-

On 1st July, 1869, \$25 1st July, 1870, 25 1st Jan., 1872, 1st Jan., 1873,

Chief Manager.

pation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable balf-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches. By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER,

Hongkong, March 2, 1869,

Shareholders electing to pay the whole

or any portion of the above Calls by antici-

New Advertisements.

"STAG HOTEL." Queen's Road, Hongkong.

EDMUND R. HOLMES,

Auctions.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, NE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auct on, on

MONDAY the 12th inst., at 2 p.n.,— (Under distraint for Rent,) on the premises No. 3, Pecheli Terrace,

Elgin Street. The FURNITURE, &c., of Mr A. D. Houses erected thereon, situate in Bonham MITCHELL, comprising:—Dining Table, Dining, Bedroom and Rocking Chairs, Sideboard, Whatnots, Glassware, Dinner and Dessert Service, Floor and Stair Carpets (nearly new), Marble-top Tables, Fire Stove, Gagaliers, Wardrobe, Window Curtains with Poles, etc., a Piano,

A small assortment of Wines, Oilman's Stores.

TERMS of SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. scription at purchaser's risk on the fall fithe hammer Hongkong, April 7, 1869.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at Noon, on

WEDNESDAY,

THURSDAY, the 14th and 15th April, at DUART, the \$150 per month. residence of G. F. MACLEAN, Esq., The whole of the FURNITURE, CHIEFLY English Made, comprising: Couches, Easy Chairs, Tables, Marqueterie Cabinets, Gilt Mirrors, Cornices. Writing Tables, Whatnots, Pun-

tresses. Wardrobes with Plate Glass Doors, Dressing Tables, Washstands, Silver and Flated Ware, China and the business quarter of Foothow, and is Glassware, etc., etc. A Semi-Grand Piano by BROADWOOD, commencing from the 1st May next, at (made expressly for this climate).

A Fine Californian Cow. A set Double-harness, nearly new. One Billiard Table (LAZARUS & Co.) with Fittings, Benches, etc., complete. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchaser's risk on the

A large-size Magic Lanthorn, complete.

Hongkong, March 23, 1869. PUBLIC AUCTION.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE ■ ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from the Committee of Adjustment to sell by Public

Auction, on FRIDAY & SATURDAY. the 9th and 10th inst., at Noon, at Head

Quarter House,---The whole of the FURNITURE WINES, STUD, etc., of the late Major-General J. R. BRUNKER, comprising: A Suite of handsome Drawing-Room | Bank. Walnut FURNITURE, a large Mirror in Mahogany Frame, gilt bracket wall Lamps, Carpets, Window Curtains, Chandeliers, Book Case, etc., etc. Semi-grand Piano, a Mahogany dining balance. Table, Chairs, Chifforier, Moderator Lamps, Dinner Wagon, Punkahs, Trays, Handsome Black-Wood Marble top Tables, 2 Cande abra, a handsome Dessert Service, Dinner Service, Plated Ware,

Cutlery, etc., etc. Patent Refrigerator and Ice Chest. Bedsteads, Cheval Glasses, Ward robes, Toilet Tables and Mirrors, Washstands, etc., etc.

A few dozens Pale and brown Sherry, Port, Claret, Champagne, Brandy, etc. A quantity of Crosse and Blackwell's Oilman's Stores, (lately arrived), An Arab Horse, A Sandwich Island Horse,

2 Japanese Ponies, 5 Gentlemen's Saddles (2 complete) with Military appointments)... 2 Ladies' Do. Saddlery. Flower Pots and Plants.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery

All lots with all errors of description whatever at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, April 2, 1869,

Auctions.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received in structions to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY,

the 20th day of April, 1869, at Noon, on the Premises, Under the Power of Sale, contained in the Deed of Mortgage, Marine Lot No. 32 E, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate be-

tween Jervoise Street and Bonham Marine Lot No. 212, with the Chinese Houses erected thereon, situate between the Praya and Bonham Strand. Marine Lot No. 152, with the Chinese

For further particulars apply to the

Undersigned, TERMS OF SALE,-One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by the Purchaser. Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 5, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Property at Foochow, known as DENT & Co.'s, will be offered for sale by Public Auction, in June next, unless previously disposed of by private

The Property consists of

DWELLING HOUSE, containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms with Servants' Offices and Stables detach ed; the whole surrounded by a Garden. This House is let on a short Lease at

OFFICES AND GODOWNS. A House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Godowns, large Treasury, and Compradore's Rooms below, Servants Offices &c., at-

Phree Intge Godowing A Brown Co adjoining the above. This property has water frontage, is situated in the most eligible portion of The American ship let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years,

the annual rental of \$4,500. For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's

Hongkong, February 1, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairmon-Julius Menke, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR. A. Joost, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, J. P. DUNCANSON,

W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Fsq.

E. R. Belilios, Esq.

Victor Kresser, Esq. Hongkong, . . Chief Manager. DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits .-

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.

4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Mr Schaal . 2 cases (contents unknown). Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the Delfino Norhotte, . . 1 case Books. chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER.

Offices of the Corporation, No, I, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

Chief Manager,

Secretary.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

be deliverable from the Office of the Under- to take immediate delivery of their Goods. signed from 10 A.M. of the morning preceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars | sel, will be landed and stored at Conare at the disposal of non-Members, on ap- signees' risk and expense. in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. plication to the Secretary, who will furnish particulars of cost, &c. J. W. WOOD,

> Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 2, 1869,

Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAL Taking Cargo at through rates for Chefoo,

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Tientsin and Hankow, The steam-ship " " UNITED SERVICE," Tough, Master, will load at Canton and Hongkong, and have quick despatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, March 20, 1869. FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig

"RODRIGO,"

will be despatched as above, on

MONDAY, the 12th Inst., at

For Freight or Passage, apply to WAHEE, SMITH & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The Spanish brig "GRAVINA," BARCELO, Master, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, April 6, 1869.

FOR NAGASAKI The Russian schooner Capt. Perkins, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, March 31, 1869.

FOR MANILA. The A 1 North German barous Capt. Göde, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to ŘÚSŠĒLL & Co.

Hongkong, March 31, 1869.

Hopgkong, March 19, 1869,

The fine A 1 Russian barque (10 years from 1862 English Lloyds), Capt. GYLLENPALM. will have quick despatch as above, taking general cargo. For Freight, apply to JOHN BURD & Co.

FOR LONDON (direct).

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. will follow the F. A. Palmer, and have quick despatch for

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1869, FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship "WINDWARD," Capt. BARRETT, will have quick despatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American ship " HELVETIA," Capt. BAILEY, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, February 26, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. "NATIONAL EAGLE,
Captain Nickerson, will have
quick despatch for the above The American ship

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1869.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Notices to Consignees. THE following cases have been landed I and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868. VC 827 1 case Arms.

Ex " Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. GFC 15985 . . . 1 case Chemicals Ex "Donnai," 30th March, 1869. Ex "Hoogly," 8th April, 1869. C. BERTRAND,

Principal Agent.

Hongkong, April 8, 1869. FROM BOMBAY, BUSHIRE, BUNDER. ABBAS, PENANG & SINGAPORE,

HE West India and Pacific Mail S. S. Co.'s Steamer West Indian, Capt. T. MILLER, having arrived from the above HE Fortnightly Market Circulars pub- Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are relished by the CHAMBER, will in future the Undersigned for countersignature, and Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

> No Claims for damage to, or short delivery of, parts of Packages, will be recognised after the Goods have left the vessel's

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, April 6, 1869,

Notices to Consignres.

ONSIGNEES of the following packages per British ship Falcon are informed that the same have been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

A E (in Cross) . 40 bales Merchandise. B (in diamond) . 45 casks WB (underdiamond) 14 bales

GFM&Co. J K & Co. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, April 2, 1869.

NOTICE CONSIGNEES of the following Packages per Brit. barque Meteor, from Sydney, are requested to communicate with the Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods, or they will be landed and

K, 5 pakgs, Mer'dise, a shipped by Alder son & Sous. E, 48 cases Preserved (shipped by Raboon Feez & Co. . a shipped by Chen A T. 7 cases Copper, ,, 65 caaks Fish, RUSSELL & Co.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steam ship "Hoogly," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading, for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 7th Instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, April 3, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

AR. ALERED FEVEZ is alone authorized 171 to sign our name per procuration on Cash Receipts for Goods delivered by our firm from this date.

P. & P. DERODE FRERES. Hongkong, March 31, 1869. FITHE Undersigned having arrived from Bombay, has established himself as

Merchant and Agent, under the Firm and Style of Hajte Meerza Mohmed Ally & HAJEE MEERZA MOHMED ALLY ABERDEEN STREET.

NOTICE E have this day admitted Mr BENJA-MIN E. GALL, as a partner in our

Hongkong, April 6, 1869.

FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY LIMITED.

R. C. LANGDON DAVIES having resign-Med. Mr Edward Baker has been appointed Secretary of the above Company Hongkong, March 31, 1869.

THE business heretofore carried on by the Undersigned, will, from this date be continued under the Firm and Style of FUTTABLOY AMEJAEBHOY. And all outstanding accounts by the Undersigned will be settled, paid, and received by the above.

BUDROODIN ABDOOLALLY. Hongkong, March 30, 1869. NOTICE. TROM and after this date, the style of

our firm will be WAHEE, SMITH & Co. WAHEE & Co., China Sugar Refinery, EAST POINT. Hongkong, March 17, 1869.

*I'HE Firm of Messrs. Gibb, Lavingston & Co., of Hongkong, is instructed to ascertain the whereabouts of Don RAFAEL YDEGORAS, 18 years of uge, native of Guatemala, in Central America, to impart to him a matter in which he is concerned. He is therefore requested to apply to the

Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

NOTICE.

HAVE this day established myself as a ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADjuster and General Commission Agent C LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Toblas Pim. Mr William Nisbet

OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868. ROM this date Mr George E. LANE

will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this port. GEO, F. BOWMAN, Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA LIMITED

MAR ROBERT S. WALKER has this day When appointed Secretary to the Company, and Mr John Inclis, the present Acting Secretary, resumes his functions as Managing Engineer for the Company. By order of the Board of Directors,

JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary, Hongkong, March 3, 1869,

NOTICE, ARD. O. CLARE retires from our Firm. IVA and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and

from this date. RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869.

NOTICE.

137E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE VV to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868,

Notices of Firms

HONGKONG HOTEL

TROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr George E. Potts, to whom all communications should be addressed. YEE-WO & Co. Hongkong Hotel,

April 1, 1869.

THE Undersigned hereby intimates that he has this day received the appointment of Sur-VEYOR to FRENCH LLOYDS under date of December 22nd, 1868.

ROBT. McMURDO. Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

For Sale.

HE Undersigned have just landed and now offer for sale. An Invoice of SHEFFIELD CUTLERY, comprising :-Razor STROPS.

Pocket KNIVES. Table KNIVES. CARVERS. Pocket FLASKS. Needle CASES. CORKSCREWS. SCISSORS assorted. Fancy Needle CASES.

Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 3, 1869

SMOKING MIXTURE, ORRIS & Co., have now on Sale a small Invoice of "THOMAS BEAR'S celebrated Smoking MIXTURE" in tins. Price \$0.50 per tin. Queen's Road.

Hongkong, April 3, 1869.

JUST ARRIVED AND FOR SALE, Prime Australian Fat SHEEP. OU 5 Tons Uaten and Lucerne HAY. Norfolk Island PINES and other Apply on board the ship " Onward,"

Hongkong, April 3, 1869. FOR THE RACES.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE. HONG KONG.

Large assortment of MILLINERY BONNETS, and HATS, of the

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUS LIN, and GRENADINE, for Evening

A fine assortment of new French FLOW

A large assortment of new TRIM-MINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES a white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

(BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT, . 20, Foochow Road, Shanghai. Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

Per " Mail Steamer" and late Arrivals.

ITAS received a choice assortment of French GLACES, black and colored. BAREGE and FANCY DRESSES, black and colored piece VELVETS and SATINS in the newest shades.

and Fancy RIBBONS, VKL-VETS, SASH RIBBONS, and DRESS TRIMMINGS in great variety, CLUNIE and VALENCENNES LACES. Ladies' and Children's trimmed and untrimmed HATS in all the fashionable

Ladies' BONNETS latest styles, Plain and Fancy SUNSHADES, French FANS

Ladies' and Gentlemen's French Ki Ladies' White Satin and Kid BOOTS. A large assortment of French and Euglish HOSIERY, Gentlemen's Black an Drab Shell HATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, Henrie's PERFUMERY.

WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, February 13, 1869.

PER CASE OF 12 BOTTLES ↑ OOD Breakfast CLARET, doz., \$ 4.00 In pints, 24 pint bottles, Medoc Breakfast CLARET. Dessert CLARET. St. Emilion Chateau Margaux. St. Pierre St. Julien (extra), Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners CLARET in Wood. Medoc in Wood, 46 gals., Roussillon, 40 gals., G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

PER MAIL STEAMER. RUYERE CHEESE, of first quality, G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, March 12, 1869,

For Sale.

PER ZIBA. 50 cases Perrier CHAMPAGNE. 50 cases "Plagueie" SALAD OIL Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

New Advertisements.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA. The British steamer "LIGHTNING,"

Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

Captain Rodges, will be despatched for the above ports, on TUESDAY, the Despatches will close at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

GIBB, LIVÍNGSTÓN & Co.

MONDAY, 12th April, 1869, at 11 o'clock A.M., by order and at the Premises of Messis John Riach & Co. Co., Shipwrights, West Point.

The whole of their STOCK IN TRADE, comprising Well-Selected Seasoned Spars and Planking, Iron and Copper Pump Tacks, Brass and Iron ap10 Screws of all sizes, Brass Side Lights, Lifting Jack Screws of all sizes, Copper Boat Nails, Castor Oil for Steamboat purposes, and every requisite suitable for Shipbuilding and En-

gineering Establishments. GEORGE A. F. NORRIS, Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 8, 1869. a12

兌所船船剛月禮取 有上隻錦初拜者 二出木踏公一一於 月投料般司在十英 **计銀** 療 料 行 營 監 士七七銅器有盤鐘 鐵械建未唐二 七器並造士三號

HE ORIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS. and Bowling Alleys, having been cularged and fitted up in a very superior style unequalfed by any in the Colony, the Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, Good Liquors and the well-known reputation of this old-established House, to London to Shanghai,.....£17,410. merit a share of their patronage. There large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment.

BROWN & Co., Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

MESSRS. KOSS & Co.

EG to inform the public of Hongkong that they had established themselves TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs LADAGE. OELKE & Co.

Having secured the services of an experieuced European Cutter, and also having received per late arrivals a very superior stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pat terns, they are prepared to meet all the requirements of the present season. A large stock of Ready-made CLOTH. ING, of the latest Fashions, always on

KOSS & Co., Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 5, 1869...

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND OPIUM.-Patna, New,... \$620 QUERIES ON CHINA AND JAPAN. EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868. Malwa, Some time ago we had occasion to remark Persian. upon the progress that Literature as repre-COTTON.-BOMBAY, sented by the Press had made and was CALOUTTA. making in the East, and our attention has SHANGHAE, ... again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which Exchange. deserves some notice and which we have pleasure in introducing to the know-Bank, 6 months' sight, ledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on 'hina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Salut, the proprietor of the | ,, Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 225 a 2251 China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size | Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a | Mexicans, mine containing very curious and useful Gold Leaf, information regarding the language, litera- Gold Bar, 98 touch, ture, history, manners and customs of the English Sovereigns, ... 4.62 Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese. Australian Sovereigns, It says a good deal for the extent and Discount, ... stability of the footing of Europeans in Gas Company Shares, ... China, that such a publication as this H. & W.poa Dock, Old, 5 p. c. disct. should be established and conducted with apparently successful vigour. The publication is altogether a very in-Do. do. New. teresting one, and wishing it every success,

4 8.00 we commend it to the attention and support of our readers. (From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) Honogone, 8th April, 1869. We acknowledge with thanks the receipt | (Taken at Messes Falconer & Co.'s Premises, of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving myl Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N. B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its inapr12 terest is not confined to China, and it will

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be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better known in India.

(From the "London Examiner," May

We have thus given in outline some the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remaind r of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buil dings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imperial City and neighbourhood, gives us an accurate notion of the relative position of its divisions, streets, and places.

LATEST SHIPPING.

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PATERSON, of Glasgow, Scotland.

DEATH.

At Seamen's Hospital, Hongkong, on the

7th April, 1869, of consumption, John

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1869. OUR SHIPPING LAW. WE find on examination that Captair Thomsett is right in holding that there is no law in Hongkong by which Masters of British ships are forbidden to go sea without properly certificated officers of the rank of 1st and 2nd Mate. The 136th Section of the Merchant Shipping Amendment Act 1854, applies only to force" should be established in China, British vessels going to sea from a port in the United Kingdom, and no local Ordinance has been passed extending the | should consist of Indians, and the Herald rule laid down in that section to this Colony. The penalty under the English Act is £50 for each infraction of the law. This being the fact, we have to exonerate Capt. Thomsett from the implied blame cast upon him for the Dayspring affair. It was not in his power to do more than he avers he did, and the responsibility of that wretched blot upon

which he is simply an officer. Indirectly Captain Thomsett can and does compel the masters and owners of British ships to engage officers to whose competency a board of examiners has certified. Ordinance 6 of 1852, Section , and Ordinance 1 of 1862, Section 6, make it compulsory on Masters of vessels whether British or Foreign to ship their officers and crews at the Harbor Master's office; and the 5th Section of the lastofficer to place any person on the Regis- foreign trade? We readily grant the ter or on the articles as Master or first or unsatisfactory nature of Colonel Gordon's only Mate of a British ship unless such relations with the Viceroy of Nanking; Master or Mate shall possess a certificate but we cannot be blind to the fact that of service or competency.

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If a vessel comes into harbor, say from record a lesson from which we may yet Australia with an uncertificated Master | profit. in command and on the register, no local law interferes with him, but if he leaves that vessel, he cannot ship on board another, in this harbour, without productrol their subordinates, and into this is ing a proper certificate, nor can the resolved every casus belli which has of owners or agents send the first mention- late years arisen. Is a missionary's ed vessel to sea again without putting a house uttacked, a merchant's goods seized duly qualified muster on board. Again, or unduly taxed, one ever-recurring if a British ship arrives in Hongkong excuse is upon the lips of the authorities from England with its proper complement of officers, we do not know of any plore the event; they will give any 29.929 law which forbids the master of that orders we may require. But—they , 29.792 vessel, if he is willing to run the risk and cannot be quite sure that those orders

thinks it more economical, to discharge both his mates and go to sea from this harbor without officers at all, or none at least of higher nominal rank than the boatswain, on his articles. Of course he has some one who does the duty on board of an officer, and who may be fully competent to do it as any certificated first mate could possibly be, but there is no one the Shipping Officer would recognise as a Mate.

It is a question whether there ought

to be any alteration in the law which would render it compulsory on ship owners to carry a full complement of duly-certificated officers and which should regulate the number of the officers to becarried on board ships of different grades. Ship owners ought to be competent judges of what, is best for their own interests, and so far as the value of the ship and tackle is concerned they alone are interested. The public, who ship goods on board, or who embark as passengers in, a vessel, can provide most effectually for their own safety and the safety of their property by refusing to. enter into any contract with the master or agents of a vessel, till satisfied that she is properly officered. Insurance Companies are under no obligation to insure a vessel or cargo, not in their opinion properly manned. They may insist upon three certified mates if they so please, and think it for their interest. English law seldom interferes dictatorially in such matters. It leaves people, as a rule, quite at liberty to look after their own safety and the safety of their goods and money in the way they deem most suitable, confident that the conflicting interests in operation in the world will, under ordinary circumstances, work out in the most effectual possible manner the solution of the special problem, and that all interference with the freedom of trade and the right of every man to do what he likes with his own, is to be most earnestly deprecated.

The law compels no man to possess a mate's certificate, but it does say that no man shall be shipped on board a British ship and be entered on the articles as a mate who has not a certificate; and that no one may have reason to complain of the operation of this law, at every port there is a board of examiners prepared to test and authenticate the competency of all applicants. Certificated masters and mates stand out, we know, for higher wages than men who, however qualified, have not certificates, but if the supply of the former is in excess of actual needs, masters and mates must come down in their demands, and then they need not fear competition; for no one would employ an unqualified person who could get a legally qualified officer at the same wages.

We have thus stated the law-or rather the absence of law—in its coarsest aspect. It is for the merchants and ship owners of this port to say if they are satisfied with it. If a master of a ship may lawfully go to sea from Hongkong without any officers at all, that is a fact of which the Insurance Offices at least should take note.

A PAMPHLET which has been published by Mr Sinnett, late of the Daily Press, since his return to England, forms the text of a very suggestive review in the columns of the North China Herald. As no copies of the work have, apparently, reached Hongkong, it is beyond our power to express an opinion on its contents. It is only with the remarks put forth by the reviewer that we have any concern, and these afford fair ground for useful discussion. The first point relates to a proposition that "a moveable field within our own control, but under the employment of the Imperial Government. This force, it is suggested in the pamphlet, naturally dissents from the conclusion that the establishment of such a force would be either practicable or justifiable. The reviewer however seems to miss the really useful suggestion to which a little consideration of the author's proposition gives natural rise.

Foreign conquest, says the Herald, "probably, would be more popular than this imperium in imperio, (a black force) which would be a standing proof of the weakness of their own Rulers. By. advocating such a measure, Mr Sinnett weakens his main argument in favour of our right to insist on extended commerce, and improved communications to facilitate it. These measures will secure all the results which the Indian force, 5,000 strong, officered by Europeans' could be needed for. And they will strike at the roots instead of the branches of the evils complained of." Has the memory of Gordon's campaign completely faded from the minds of our North China contemporary? Can the history of the past few years afford no hint of the only scheme which can satisfactorily combine the strengthening of legitimate Chinese his devotion and ability have left on

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There are other remarks in the review to which we shall again advert. Meantime the proposition we have put forth will, we are confident, before long become a question which will force itself upon the attention of European Governments.

LOCAL

We are glad to learn that M. V. Hartung, the present Chancellor of the French Conmlate, has been promoted to a similar post at the Consulate General of France in

THE P. & O. steamer Ganges, which left to day for the Coast Ports and Shanghai, took up among her passengers Mr Morison (Gibb. Livingston & Co.) and Mr Glennig Gilman & Co.) the former for Foochow and the latter for Shanghai, to join the branches of their respective firms in those places. By their removal, the lovers of sports and aquatics are deprived of two enthusiastic and popular brethren.

The Criminal Session was continued before the Hon, Chief Justice Smale this morning, when the charge against the Sikh Police Jenuidhar, the China boy, and the Sikh Sergeant of Police, was proceeded with Colonel Braysere, C.B., acted as Panjaubee interpreter. The witnesses for the prosecution are said to have so contradicted themselves and each other, and the feeling of apparent tampering with witnesses having become more marked than should have seen, the Attorney General entered a nolle prosequi in all the cases.

We understand that two other and even more disgusting cases of a similar kind have come to light within the last day or two, amongst the Sikh Police; and it is beginning to be felt that the Governors able brood are not by any means pattern of truth, morality or cleanliness, if they are in any other way adapted to the duties of a Police Force.

THE following passage in William E. Bowyer's Tea Circular of the 11th Feb. is rather severe on the Fonchow merchants: "A Telegram from China on the 5th instant states that a meeting of merchants had been held at Foochow to protest against the practice of the Chinese mixing inferior leaf with the fine Congous. If it were not for the disastrous results of buyers there settling these teas at prices which ought to have secured finest qualities there might have been some reason for thus publicly expressing an opinion, but it cannot be the fault of the Chinese producer that gentlemen who have established themselves as agents, with tasters selected from among the best judges here, should give prices far beyond the value, and this with the knowledge of the generally inferior qualities of several seasons :- surely the teamen, who have made so much through the want of proper care in selection, must consider the protest a capital joke. If, instead of a public meeting, more attention was given to the tasting room, it would be a change in the proper direction."

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr May on the Bench.

W. Petersen, tavern-keeper, charged a boatman with the theft of a piece of tackle and some blocks from a davit on the Praya. The boat-boys in Petersen's employ pointed out the prisoner, who admitted having committed the robbery. Prisoner also said that he was in want and had taken the tackle and blocks to a shop named Fat Jack's shop. Fat Jack, however, refused to acknowledge anything about either the prisoner or the stolen blocks. -Mr May sentenced the prisoner to three months

in Gilman Street, was brought up on a hal been on previous occasions. 6 shares warrant issued at the instance of James in the Shanghai Gas Co. were knocked Carpenter, inspector to the Opium Farmer, charged with the illegal selling of prepared opium. The Chinese informer produced stated that the sum paid by him for the opium was 47 cash—a somewhat remarkable sum, according to the opinion of the Magistrate, being an odd amount. The defence, however, was far too absurd to be believed; and a conviction was obtained in consegone to this house where the opium was latest of which we have heard, caps all. found to obtain some money which the French Consular student has, if we are Proprietor of the concern owed him, and | rightly informed, been appointed to a first that he was asked to keep the place for class clerkship, per saltum; thus reaching, him while the opium man went out to at once, the same grade as other men who collect money. Unfortunately, he was still have served from seven to ten years. in charge when the Police entered the place the day after. - Mr May thereupon fined

caught, the Magistrate ordered him to be party has right on its side. taken to the Cauton ateamer to-morrow; and he was remanded accordingly.

placed in dock on a charge of bangle-stealing from a child. It appears that as Lee Ahee a married woman, was leading the child (who is only three years of age) this morning about half past seven, in Taipingshan. prisoner snapped a silver bangle from the child's wrist and ran away. - Lo Akut butcher by trade, stated that he saw prisoner snatch the silver bangle from the child and run off, and he and a policeman Fish Lans, was caught by the shopmen foreign and native, are not sanguine as to willing to give it up, but the policeman would not permit him to do so.—His Worship having remarked upon the meanness there would be little difficulty in getting of stealing from a child so young, sentenced the lying thief to go to Gaol for the period of six months, with hard labor.

A curious case was heard to-day in which the Government would appear to have been paying the wrong men in the disbursement of Colonial salaries. Chun Aloong, formerly a market coolie, was charged with having obtained money under false pretences. and also with larceny, under the following circumstances. Prisoner was a scavenger at the Central Market, under the direction of Inspector Burton (inspector of markets). who is again under the Registrar General. Three scavengers had been employed as extra coolies for the Market, and the \$15 rity except that of her Majesty's minis required for this purpose was collected, along with the Governmental rent, from the stall-holders at the Market; the Registrar General's shroff was the party who collected and paid away the salaries referred to. It appears that prisoner relinquished his sanitary duties on the 18th of last month, having laid down his broom without the usual notice to Inspector Burton; and the illegal transaction now allegto the real coolies for the past month.

THE NORTH,

By the Suwonada we are in receipt of Shanghai papers to April 3 :--

The Evening Courier has pointed out the "New Treaty" skit and the memorial forwas a translation of the memorial into ter of the inhabitants and the ease article refers to the opening of the coal mines the 1st paragraph containing the suggessecond and third allude to docks at Taku. ight-house and more convenient customs' offices, which are again in the same rotation in the Tientsin memorial. For the counterpart of the Art. 6 we must turn to the lst general article of the memorial, and if we number the next in rotation 7 and so on to the end, we shall discover that the New Treaty is simply a rescript of this document article for article, without any mention of or allusion to, any of the other memorials or wants of foreigners." The shares in the several Public Compa-

nies offered for sale at auction on the 30th attendance being very meagre.

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The demand for shares at Mr Bissett's auction on the 30th, was not so lively as it down at Tls. 94: 6 shares in the Old Dock at Tls. 85; 3 shares in the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. at Tls. 165; 5 shares in the S. S. N. at Tls. 94—all bought in.

We hear that telegrams to the 9th March were received yesterday (Apr. 1) via Kiachta quoting a considerable rise in shirtings.

We have several times had occasion to comment on Mr Hart's eccentric promo-Defendant stated that he had tions in the Customs' service. But the

We hear there has been a general strike among the native stone-masons, which has the prisoner \$25, in default 3 months hard put a stop to every building in the settlement. It is supposed to be for higher Chan Apo, who was represented as a wages, against the contractors ; and there stone-man at Canton, was brought up as a would seem a presumption that the latter branded man who had no right to "show are in the wrong, as they refuse to give his nose" in the Colony, under the terms any information on the subject. As the of the conditional pardon granted him on contractors are under fine for every day's 17th September, 1867. As prisoner stated delay beyond a certain period, the Eurothat he had got employment in Canton, and pean lessors, of the contract have large

A Newchwang correspondent writes per

Yip Hai Cheung, a Sunon coolie, was scarcely commenced. The Kin Shin will take a full cargo of beancake and oil from the Steam Beancake factory; at least, presuine she has come for that purpose. Malwa has gone up to Tls. 630, and is still rising. Ice has nearly all disappeared; and vessels will come in quickly now. The river opened on the 2nd March: the steamer Chihli arrived on the 15th, the first junk entered on the 13th. The weather has been changeable, and sudden and severe falls of gave chase; prisoner, who steered for the snow have taken place. Merchants, both should be thrown open to foreign enterprise.

there. The bangle was found in his pocket a prosperous year. Silver still continues and he was apprehended by P. C. 98.—The about 25 per cent above the nominal rate. give party in China would be able safely prisoner's defence was all very well of its The first cargo of steam-made beancake is to kind, but of a very bad kind, and lamer be despatched in a day or two. The Brithan usual. The bangle was dropped, he tish Consulate is still under the charge of said; he picked it up; the fishermen stop- Mr Walter King. The conferring upon ped him and demanded the bangle; he was him of the permanent appointment, would give much local satisfaction, A Foodlow correspondent writes that a

special survey was held on the Kate Young on the 25th ultimo. The result was that she was condemned; and will be sold by auction on the 5th instant. The Frenc barque Marie Alexandrine arrived 28th, in a water-logged condition, with cargo of wood from Bangkok. The vessel which is being built at the arsenal is really at last, approaching completion, and wi probably be launched about the middle April. The U.S. S. Unadilla was to leave for Amoy on the 31st ultimo.

(Express mained until the flood made. We have not as yet ascertained if either of them have sustained any damage.

The gentlemen who left Shanghae on Tuesday evening by H. I. M. steame Kwa-hing, with the view of exploring some ed against the prisoner is, that he got two of the island in the Parlow and Rugged "straw men" to accompany him and de- Groups, in hopes of finding an appropriate manded and received the wages (\$15) due | locality for a sanitarium, have not, as we are informed, been very successful. Ow. Prisoner first went alone, but was asked | ing to unfavourable weather they were unato get the coolies; he then took one man | ble to do more than make a partial exploraof "straw," but was unsuccessful; and tion of Senhouse island and Chesney island. finally he had to produce the two substi- both belonging to the Parker Group. The tutes, as aforesaid. Only a passing suspi- former is not much above two miles in cion appears to have been entertained by length, and rises to a peak of about 550 the confiding shroff at first; but after hav- | feet above the level of the sea. It is inhabi ing revolved in his mind the fact that pri- ted by a population of fishermen, in num soner had put all the \$15 in his pocket, ber about 700. They are friendly and civil instead of (as usual) making a fair division, people. There is no mandarin, no tepeou, ie sent his servant to inquire at the Mar- and no doctor in the island, and the inha set; and the true facts of the case were bitants declare that they do not much fee prought out accordingly. The real scaven- the want of any of these functionaries gers were produced, and the facts were Rheumatism is the commonest complaint, strengthened by their evidence: they had There are about twelve opium smokers, and not got their money, and they were the the enquiry was made whether Europeans means of capturing the prisoner so soon as | had any cure for opium smoking. Patche they found out what he had been doing, of the mountain are cultivated nearly to Certain clothes were produced from pawn, the top. There is a fine lit le sandy beach which were proven to belong to others .- | and several bays, perfectly sheltered from His Worship thereupon gave the prisoner to the weather. One drawback which perunderstand that he would commit him for | tains to all these islands, is that the water o trial at the Supreme Court, on the charge | the sea is as muddy as that of the Thame of having received the money under false at Loudon Bridge. The immense outpour ing of the Yaugtze, completely overpowers the blue waters of the ocean. Chesney is land has several small beaches; it is more cultivated than Senhouse, but strange to say the people seem, poorer and less healthy. In both islands are numerous springs water, and both have a protected landing place in any direction of the willd. Raffles ollowing curious coincidences between the island is far larger than either of the two It was not visited by the explorers, but it warded by the foreign residents at Tientsin. is highly spoken of by those who are well which leave no doubt that the document acquainted with it, for the friendly charac-Chinese, which was probably re-translated | obtaining supplies. No pigs or sheep were into English for the peculiar edification of observed in the islands visited. Fish, our enlightened contemporary. "The first | fowls, and eggs, are the staple commodities. The exploring party was unable to proceed near Peking, and the construction of a rail- to the Rugged islands, some of which it is road to convey the coal to Tientsin, and | believed offer very favorable sites for a sanitarium. It is said however that the tions of the Tientsin memoralists on local difficulties of effecting a landing in certain subjects is to an exactly similar effect. The states of the weather are great, and this would be certainly a most material obstacle and dredging the river, and correspond with | to regular communication, a most indisthe 2nd and 3rd paragraphs of the same pensable condition of an establishment memorial. New follow the questions of a such as that contemplated. We hope to hear before long of further explorations

> THE HONGK ING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ON NEW

under more prosperous circumstances than

those which have attended the recent ex-

(Supreme Court & Consular Gazette, April 3.) We recently expressed what we believe to be the prevailing opinion with respect to the letter addressed to the British Consu ultimo by Mr Bisset were all bought in, the at Shanghai by the Chamber of Commerce. Now we find that the Governor of Hong-The Griffins at the Horse Bazaar did not kong has in like manner spoken in no go off very well, the prices ranging from | measured terms of the insufficiency and general weakness of the Hougkong Cham-Shaw, the man convicted of the burglari- ber's letter to the Cousul at Canton. It is strange that the self-constituted guardians was put on board the Sunda on the 30th of foreign trading interests should be conultimo for deportation to Hongkong. Tal. tent with feebly echoing one another's sugbert, one of those convicted of complicity in gestions instead of making a vigorous onslaught on the existing restrictive system. was also put on board the Everest for deport- or at any rate assuming a position of digniation to England. Six other prisoners sen- fied resistance. We hear much of the tenced to deportation are awaiting their supineness of the Ministers, but when an emergency arises wherein the advice of the merchants would prove useful, we find that they have confined their exertions to growling, and that they know actually nothing about the unopened portion of the empire that can be turned to a practically usefu purpose. Some few suggestions are made Such and such courses are "urged" or "recommended," or "would prove boons," or "would be important," but really un supported opinions are worth nothing. Had merchants remembered that the revision of the treaty was fixed for last year, and that perhaps some extension of the number of open ports would be made at that revision. they would have spent a little time and trouble in collecting facts relating to the population, wealth, and salubrity of certain places; to the nature of the people, the probable demand for imports, the productions of the neighbourhood, the means of approach, and everything likely to prove valuable. But the lazy principle upon which the letter was composed is sufficient ly evident from the following extracts:-

6.—The opening of subsidiary ports on the River Yangtaze is a step which the Chamber cannot impress too strongly upon the attention of His Excellency but as this subject has been so fully (1) entered upon in the reply of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce, of 1st February, to merely dentures to give a general expression of its and man of business, he designedly left an Miaca :- No particular news. Business opinion as to the desirability of such a measure be- obvious flaw in the will.

ing adopted to the fullest extent possible, without entering into details: 7.-With regard to the question of opening more ports on the coast, this Chamber would strongly recommend that those named by Hir Excellency should be opened to foreign trade and while expressing this opinion, would no wish His Excellency to infer that the Chamber desires to limit the number of ports that should be opened to those specified by His Excellency' despatch, but would record it as its opinion that all ports which from the magnitude of their trade claim any pretensions to first class trading ports,

was worth more than waste paper,

it to fulfil any useful indication it ought instead of being compromised in a few score lines to extend to a formidable volume. Glancing at the paragraphs seriatim, are struck by the extremely weak protest against the exclusion of steam vessels from the inland waters. we all regret this limitation, but let us once get free access to the interior secured by treaty, and steam will soon follow. One is a matter of necessity, the other is one of convenience. One prescribes the right to enter, the other makes certain regulations about the vehicle. Again we would ask what are the "Customs districts." They are not defined so far as we know. Are they limit-A collision has taken place in the harbor to- | ed by the foreign inspectorate, or do theyday (April I) between the Thermopylae and include the native squeeze barriers? They Chinaman, the latter vessel being homeward | may so far as we are concerned, mean tobound with a full cargo of tea. She came day the foreign settlements, Pootung and athwart hawse of the latter vessel while go- | the area within the thirty mile radius, and ing down with the ebb tide, where she re- to-morrow they may not extend farther than Silk-a-wei. Into a letter professedly devoted to suggestions regarding the revi sion of the treaty we cannot see upon what ground paragraph 8 obtained admission. If the Imperial Customs step in between the high contracting powers that are parties to the treaty, there is an obvious remedy. We have not now to do with treaty observance but with treaty extension. But this circumstance is explained by the general narrowness of view which pervades the entire letter. The "almighty dollar" has had too exclusive a share in its inspiration. The principle of free intercourse is not dwelf upon; the right of being no longer treated contemptuously as outer barbarians, by physically filthy and mentally debased semi-savages, is not even asserted. increased cheapness of cotton manufactures and other merchandise is the only argument that Mr Bryans and his following can understand, and therefore it is the only one they suggest should be pressed on the native government. But did they know any thing about the subject of which they treat they would recognise the fact that this argument will have no effect on Chinese. The increase in the local Customs' revenue under foreign inspection somewhat mythical. It only slightly affects the Peking Government, from whom th proposed concessions are to be obtained and as even Chinese mandarins cannot burn the candle at both ends, and in the middle also, the increase under the foreign inspec torate is, we doubt not, balanced by a diminution in the revenue accruing from irregular barrior squeezes. And lastly as to the much talked of subject of railways, we d not desire to under estimate its importance but we would remind those who are more impressed with it than we are, that something more than Chinese consent is necessa-

MISCELLANEOUS.

ry to the establishment of railroads. Even

were the permission granted, where would

the necessry capital come from? Certainly

not from the native government, and we can

hardly believe that, with the well known

powerlessness and unwillingness of that go-

vernment to protect property so much ex-

posed to prejudice and depredation as rail-

ready to advance the necessar

way materials, foreign capitalists would

"AND IN THEIR DEATH THEY WERE, N DIVIDED!"-The Amirta Bazaar Putrica states that a few months ago a burglary was committed in the house of a Maho medan, and the burglar was caught in the act. When questioned by the Magistrate he replied that he did not go to rob but from the intimacy he had with the prosecutor's wife. The Magistrate subposnaed the woman, but she told her husband that she would put an end to her life if she were compelled to attend the Magistrate's Court. band said that in that case he should no outlive her. When a warrant of arrest was served, it was discovered that both husband and wife had committed suicide by suspend-

true. - Our Paper. A MAN who marries a rich wife must ex peet occasionally to have it flung in hi We have heard of a retort, however which we should think must have for ever silenced such thrusts. A gentleman, who had the misfortune to marry a fortune, was once exhibiting the fine points of a horse to "My horse, if you please," said his wife;" my money bought that horse. 'Yes, madam," replied the husband, bowing, "and your money bought me too." A DISPUTED WILL -- A strange suit of disputed testamentary succession has been commenced in Bengal, the estate claimed being worth, it is said, £40,000 a year. The

claimant is a Christian convert, the only

son of a highly respected and prosperous

Bengalee Brahmin, the Baboo Prosunno

Coamar Tagore, Companion of the Order

of the Star of India. The Baboo died long ago, and on his deathbed, to mark anger at his son's apostacy executed a will by which he left the bulk of his property to a nephew, already a wealthy man, with an estate of his own valued at £20,000 a year. The joy of the Brahmins over the ernment may be gathered from the circumpious death of the Baboo was great; but the Christian and disinherited son has im- Woods and Forests. Converts are natupugned the validity of the will in the rally enthusiasts, and it is, perhaps, hardly Supreme Court, on the ground that the surprising that this department should Disraeli moved its rejection in a speech of instrument illegally proposed to tie up the signalize its adhesion to the new order of great length. He said the measure was disposition of the property for a hundred things by a bold and sweeping reform. It unjust, impolitic, sacrilegious, and one of years. It is anticipated that the court will is rumoured in the Scotch papers that the apoliation. The debate was adjourned till upset the will; and, if so, the case will be swans on Linlithgow Loch (on the bank of to-morrow, the 20th. Latest advices from sent for final decision; before the Judicial which stands the picturesque old palace in Spain state that fighting was resumed to-Committee of the Privy Council; when, which Queen Mary was born) are to be day at Xeres. The Insurgents were comit would not be easy to forecast. Besides reduced from fourteen to two. It is not pletely vanquished, the bequest to his nephew, the Babon left stated what will be the precise saving to large legacies to the University of Calcutta. to a famous idol, and to several charitable haps some member of Parliament may a new direct Line to be exclusive for Indosocieties. If the son's suit be successful, all these will, of course, be invalidated. The singular feature in the case is that the Bengalees speak of the will as a clever at-His Excellency's despatch, and as their know- tempt at "cheating the devil in the dark." ledge of the requirements of trade in that great. The Baboo, they hint, was singled to artery of China, from their juxta-position to it, to secure his property to his son, and to was on his way thither this morning when power in their hands of assisting whichever must necessarily be much greater than that of make sure of his own pretensions to Brah. bashful, and those who know themselves Min case, reversing the decision of the the residents in the South of China, this Chamber | minical purity. So, though a skilled lawyer

THE TICHBORNE BARONETCY. -The proright of succession to the Tichborne Baronetcy and estates are with the characterisdragging along very slowly indeed. Our late townsman, Castro, is by this time in South America, hunting up evidence in support of his claim, and when he has obtained all the information that he desires or that it is possible for him to secure in We cannot help wondering whether the Hongkong Chamber really thought this docuthe continuous chain of evidence that it ment which professes to guide the Minister, will be necessary for him to connect in orregard to its value it is matter for congratulation that it contains so little, but were proving that the Australian claimant, Thothe son of a butcher at Wapping. commission granted by the Court of Common Pleas to collect evidence in Australia in reference to the claims of Castro, is now in Melbourne, and on the 15th April next, Hotel, in this town, for the purpose of exa- | England, ought to be accepted." mining any of the residents of Wagga Wagga who may be able to throw any light upon the antecedents of Castro. In grantng the order for the commission it was made | who are punctilious in the discharge of one of the forms that Castro should appear | their religious duties, bury their children in propria persona at its sittings, but as he | in the snow outside the church, while they, the town in April next may be looked upon | start, reader! The reason is that their cries as anything but certain. From the long | might disturb the congregation; and it is residence of Castro in this district, the fight | far warmer for them underneath the snow or the Tichborne successsion will probably | wrapped up in pelts, or skin, than in the be regarded with more interest in Wagga Wagga than in any other place in the colo-

nies. - Sydney Empire, Jan. 16. IN PARIS.—A most mysterious and romantic affair, which will probably end in a cal position named Madame Belval, better | portion of the community. known in the world to which she belongs as Anna de Narbonne, received a visit the other day from a Polish Count of her 'acquaintance, Kzidnia Kowski. course of which he proposed to her that she should send a letter inviting a third person, whose name the Count would not communicate, to meet her at the Opera masked-ball, and should there induce him to eat a boubon with which the Count would furnish her, the whole affair being, according to him, a practical joke. explanation seemed far from satisfactory. and the lady declined to have anything to with poison and destined to cause the drug for Shanghai. death of the third party, at the same time promising Madame Belval 20,000f. ifishe would assist him. He, moreover, informed her that he had already written the invitation in her name to the intended victim. She feigned to consent. and the Count left her, promising to return the same evening at midnight to escort her to the opera. The lady was no sooner alone. than she hastened off in search of a commissary of police, whom she with great difficulty succeeded in persuading of the truth of her story, and induced to return with her, in company with a colleague. Arrived at her apartments, they found the Count, whom they arrested and searched, discovering upon him a bag containing eleven bonbons... A carriage at the door had at first escaped their notice, but on arresting its occupant, a young medical student named Masson, who was disguised in a domino, they found upon him two more bonbons. Masson, who though of French extraction, was born in Poland, and who seems to be a dependent of the Count's, acknowledged, on being confronted with his patron, that the atter had asked him to poison the bonbons, but that, whilst feigning compliance, he had in reality merely altered their colour. truth of this will be decided by the analysis which has been ordered to be made. The

sentation, it is said, of a personage in high real or fabled, approached him in the extent of his opulence. The "wealh of Ormus or 17th March.—Heavy reinforcements for ing themselves with a rope. Strange, if of Ind" pales before it. The late Baron made the following disposition of his fortune: he left to his wife, Betty, 8,000,0001. estimated at above 800,000L, and his house son, Gustavus, he gave 8,000,000L; to his penny lower. third son, Edmund, 6,000,000l.; and to his Alphonsus, who comes in for a trifle of 20,000,000l. This colossal fortune—and amount—reaches the sum total 44,800,000l. It may give some idea what two years, and is considerably more than the half of the income of Great Britain. Verily the deceased Baron must, like Midas, have possessed the faculty of turning every-

Count admitted, without hesitation, that he

had intended to poison some one, who now.

appears to have been the Duc de Bauffre-

for some years past. A telegram from the

said to show that she was privy to the pro-

jected removal of her husband. The Duke

has left Paris for Geneva, at the repre-

Duchess, found at the Count's lodgings,

thing he touched into gold.—Express. of economy which now pervades the Govstance that it has infected even the office of the country from this retrenchment, Perment of a cottple of secretaries in London. Frontier near Gradiska. at £1,000 a year each, to do the work of

will never be impudent.

When she lies at the wharf.

THE London correspondent of the Manceedings in connection with the disputed chester Guardian writes that he has seen very unfavourable letters from Washington and Boston regarding the probablity of the tic deliberation of all legal movements, ratification by the Senate of the Clarendon-Johnson Convention. "It is, I am afraid too true that the President elect entertains strong opinious on the impracticable question of England's concession of belligerent rights to the South. The writing in certain American journals regarding the language that part of the globe, he will, it is said, re- held in public by Mr. Reverdy Johnson visit Australia, and of course, Wagga Wagga, since he has been in England has had its and gather up as he goes all the links in effect. Had Lord Stanley been able to ed the affair soon after the arrival of the der to establish his identity with the long- new Minister in this country, and had the missing baronet The family in possession | treaty been sent to Washington for approval are in no way daunted, and assert that there | four or five months ago, the whole matter will be no difficulty at the right moment in | would ere this have probably been settled. But every public dinner he has attended mas Castro, is no other than Arthur Orton, during the winter, and every answer he has made to an address or felicitation, has been made a text for factious comment, more or less influential, on the other side of the Atlantic: until at last it has become a sort of party question whether any agreement and on such other succeeding days as may negotiated by so strong an old friend be necessary, will sit at the Commercial of the South, and so warm a new friend of

MEN, women, and children in Norway skate to church on Sunday, and in the far north the Lapps, who do the same, and now in South America, his presence in the parents, attend the service. Do not church. A trusty dog is stationed near them to keep off the wolves, should any be prowling about in the neighbourhood .-Chambers's Journal.

A "RESPECTABLE" WANT.-A Herne couse célébre, is at present occupying the Bay magistrate says the want of a lock-up attention of all Paris. A lady of equivo- has long been felt there by the respectable

ARRIVAL OF THE LISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer Orissa. Captain Auderson, from Bombay, with dates to the 19th, Galle, 25th, Penang, 31st ult., and Singapore, April 2, bringing the Europe mails of 18-26th Feb., arrived this after-

The bullion for China by present mail is. in silver, £42,280. The Orissa carries 718 do with the matter, whereupon the Count bales Cotton, and 938 chests Malwa Opium. admitted that the bonbon was impregnated | for Hougkong, and 792 chests of the same

> LATEST TELEGRAMS. The following are the latest Telegrams brought by the Mail steamer Orissa, dated

13th March.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remains unaltered. The Morning Post states that France and Belgium have agreed to refer their differences to a mixed Commission. Advices from Washington of yesterday's date state that General Grant has accepted Mr Stewart's resignation of the office of the Treasury.

15th March.—It is stated that Sir John Lawrence is to be received into the Peer-The Morning Post regrets the basis of the intended negotiations of the Committee to be appointed to settle the Belgio-French Question is undetermined. The French Government insists on validity of the former Committee and the concession made to the French Company. Telegrams from New York of date the 11th, announce the resignation of Mr. Washburn, Secretary of State and General Schofield, Secretary of War. Mr Hamilton succeeds Mr Washburn, General Rawlins succeeds General Schofield and Mr Bontwell succeeds Mr Stewart as Secretary of the Treasury. Mr Washburn has been appointed Minister at France,

A Bill for expending (? expanding) and defining the authority of the Governor-General of India has been read a second time in the house of Lords. The provisions of the mont, who has been separated from his wife | Bill are similar to those of the Bill of last year, the Lieutenant-Governor to have a seat in the Executive Council. OBITUARY. - Messrs Malcolm and Lewis. and Lord Glasgow.

Telegrams from Paris, dated the 14th inst state that Mr Laguerronnier is returning from Brussels with a Despatch A ROTHSCHILD'S WEALTH -The wealth explaining the views of the French Governof the late Baron James de Rothschild is ment on the Luxembourg Railway Billsomething fabulous. . It overpowers the ima-, thus removing a question hitherto commergination. No Sultan or Calif, or Emperor, "cial to [the region of (1)] diplomatic [diplo-

the West India Squadron are ordered. The Constitutionnel of Paris states that France and Belgium have agreed to a satisthe Château Ferrière, whose art galleries are factory solution of the Railway difference. 19th March.—Tea market very flat. New in the Rue Laffitte at Paris. To his second make Congous and Scented Capers one

March 16th - A monster Declaration grandson, the son of the late Solomon Roths- has been made in Ireland denying the child 2,000,0001. This is pretty well in moral competence of the British Parliaitself, but it does not exhaust the vast heaps ment to discstablish the Irish Church. An left by the modern Crossus. The largest Irish Deputation has presented a petition plum has fallen to the lot of his eldest son, to the Queen at Windsor Castle praying for the disestablishment and the disendowment of the Irish Church. Her Majesty in reply perhaps these legacies do not exhaust the reiterated the deep interest she felt in the condition of Ireland. quake have been felt in Lancashire. Sir this means to mention that it would nearly John Lawrence, ex-Viceroy of India, has pay the interest on the national debt for arrived in London. Oxford has again beaten Cambridge in the annual Boat Race. Oxford won by four boats' lengths. England is mediating in the French-Belgian Question.

18th March.—The Monster Irish Declara-Some idea of the intensity of the spirit tion has been signed by upwards of 50 Peers, and 1,000 Deputy Lieutenants, Magistrates and Land-owners.

19th March.—In the House of Commons last night Mr Gladstone moved the second reading of the Irish Church Bill. Mr

Constantinopic, 15th March.—The Telegraph administration are about to construct think it worth while to ask Mr Layard European Telegrams in order to facilitate whether the swans have been disbanded in their transmission. The line will run beorder to make up for his recent appoint- tween Nissa and Instro on the Turkish

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council has pronounced an elaborate judga Those who know the world will not be ment in favour of the appellants in the Hongkong Court. The Council has also When does a ship tell a falsehood!- been occupied with a potition to set aside the bankruptcy of Mr Lyall,

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NOTIFICATION.

THE TEA TRADE AT CANTON

HE following Notification has been is. sued by Her Britannio Majesty's Con-Notification ,

BRITISH CONSULATE.

CANTON, February 26, 1869. Representations having been made to the uindersigned with reference to the difficulties experienced in obtaining the due fulfilment of contracts through the failure of the Teamen and Brokers to supply Teas in bulk according to the muster upon which they were purchased, he brought the matter, in conjunction with the Cousul for the United States, before the Chinese authorities, with a view to devising some mode by which the evil complained of might be rectified. It is obvious that the remedy lav to a great extent in the hands of the purply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick | chasers themselves, by the refusal of the Teas if they were inferior to the samples: but difficulties interpose in following this course, such as Tonnage having been engaged, advices having gone forward, and others unnecessary to mention. Moreover. as the rejection of a chop was little likely to cause loss or damage to the Teaman or. ing to market fluctuations, no unwilling. ness was felt on his part to such a result: in fact, it was an encouragement to fraudu. lent practices. The undersigned was therefore of opinion that compelling the fulfilment of contracts or enforcing what is termed an "equitable cut" for inferior quality, were necessary measures, if trade was to be conducted on anything like a sound basis; he therefore directed his attention to devising a mode of arbitration or proceeding by means of which the expenses and delay of a Chinese court of law might be avoided. It is not worth while to detail the particulars of the proposition he made. as, after long negociations, it was rejected by the Tea guild, who met it by a counter proposition that if Tea when delivered was not equal to muster, it should be rejected. Seeing that no amicable arrangement could be arrived at, the undersigned, in conjunction with the Consul for the United States, requested the Chinese authorities to notify to the Teamen, brokers, and others, that the utmost rigour of the law would be enforced in all cases of fraudulent practices. and he hopes that the Proclamation which has been issued accordingly, a copy of

> not escape with impunity from the consequences of their misdeeds. (Signed) D. B. ROLERTSON.

> translation of which is annexed, will have

the effect intended, by shewing the parties

against whom it is directed that they will

Proclamation by CHEN, Magistrate of the Nanhai District, and YANG, Magistrate of the P'wangyu District :--We have received instructions from his Honor the Financial Commissioner, embo-

dying orders from his Excellency the Viceroy in tenor as follow:-"The Viceroy received a communication on the 20th August last from the British Consul, Mr Robertson, to the effect that he has been addressed by the British merchants at Canton with reference to the great loss and detriment to the trade caused by the inferior our lities of the Teas supplied by the Teamen, notwithstanding their contracts to deliver Teas according to muster. The practice appears to be that the Teathe merchants after inspecting and tasting their qualities and arranging for the price piculs and the time of delivery, engage tonprevious to the amount deposited having | nage by vessels proceeding to England and when the Teas agreed for arrive in Canton, they are found on inspection to be not only far inferior in quality to the sample supplied, but largely mixed with what are called 'lie-teas,' or leaves of plants of all kinds prepared to imitate the genuine tea. This has now become the regular practice, and it is necessary that some measures should be taken to put an end to the frauds which are thus perpetrated. He therefore urges that measures be devised with this end in view, etc., etc. The U.S. Consul, Mr King, has also made a similar representation. On receipt of the foregoing the Viceroy ordains that a notification be issued to the Tea dealers with injunctions to be laid upon them for their obedience." The Magistrates being in receipt of the

above instructions, have to issue a notification in pursuance of their tenor; and we do therefore accordingly proclaim for the instruction of all members of the Tea Trade, that it is an obvious duty to make honesty and good faith the guiding principles of commerce with foreign merchants and that to cherish fraudulent designs can in no wise be permitted. They should, more over, bear in mind that the bulk of the Ter export has been confined of late years to the ports of Fukien, whilst the local trade in Canton teas itself has at the same time languished in an unusual degree. If fraudulent practices in the way of false packing be further persisted in, not only will those guilty of such acts be liable to prosecution and thus incur the danger of arrest and of actions for compensation, but the trade to be the most efficacious remedy itself will continue to fail off daily, and the compensation, but shall further be visited with severe punishment, under the statute for assimilating the offence of obtaining money under false pretences with the crime The science of Medicine has never before of robbery Be ye careful, therefore, not

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Post-Office Notifications.

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T is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America transmitted via the United Kingdom wi be as follows, viz:-

Via Southampton. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - 24 Above 8 ounce and not excéeding 12 ounce. -Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces,- 48

Via MARSEILLES. Under 4 ounce, Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, -- - 32 Above 8 cunce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - 48 Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounce, - - 64 For every additional 4 oz., 16

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, June 18 1868.

It is hereby notified for general in formation that the Contract between th Government of Mauritius and the Union Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

dressed to Mauritius.

will, in future, be sent in the Mails for which must be faid in advance, viz :---

Jpon Letters sent by way of Southampton, 46 cents each 2 oz. When sent by way of Marseilles......54 Newspaper via Southam-

Newspapers via Marseil-Book Packets via Southampton,.....10 ,,

additional 8 oz. Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents under 4 oz : 28 cents above for and not

exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General

9th September, 1868.

forward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at (Limited) and the 'French Transatlantic Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of various lines to Europe Tickets issued Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cu- exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange nard, Inman, National, General Transat- Current for Each Mail, and charged with lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam Commission according to the following ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Scale, viz. :--

Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery Money Order Offices in the United King dom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as It is hereby notified for general informa- ["Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the tion that henceforward closed mails for the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Ri United Kindom will be made up at this vington," or the name of a Company trad-Office and forwarded to London by the Un- ing under a title which does not consist of

> 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Or der is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

> a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in

8.—The signature of the Payee of a Money Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted which the Order was issued, at some other in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in Office than that in which the Order was ori-Ohina and Japan addressed to Egypt, or ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted, posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or provided the Order be inclosed to the any of the Ports in China and Japan, and Postmaster of the Office in which it was conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is drawn. In such case a new Order will be reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve | issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in the new Order.

weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for 10.-In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will THE Undersigned having been appointed be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

Psot-Office Notifications.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payce should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn. 14.—Payment of an Order must be ob-

tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount. of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -- for instance; if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, Office of the Country in which the Order or on Goods stored therein, was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better work, ing of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders. By Command

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

Insurances

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STEELING. /INHE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro posals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period nsurances, viz:---

Not exceeding) I of the Annual Rate. one month... Above 1 mouth and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m tha and not ex-

ceeding six mouths..... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 14 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-

sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

INSURANCE COMPANY.

Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, June 6, 1867. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Insurances.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company are pre

to accept Marine risks and issue

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.

HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsus and KELUNG, are premust be obtained before the end of July, pared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANCE at current rates.

Tameui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE: COMPANY.

Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against under peculiar circumstances, the Post Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate Above I month and not exceeding 3, ... Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,... 4 Above 6 months,.... the full annual rate, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. TINTIL further notice the following An-U nual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance vizate on metal Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. 🛊 per cent Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

Contents. # per cent. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents: GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board | FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, March 6, 1865

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MÉRCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, . per cent,

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. per annum GILMAN & Co.

Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one I of the annual rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding

the full Annual rate. Above 6 months, . Agents. North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY, Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Acts of Parliament,

ESTABLISHED 1809, CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263,

HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine HE Undersigned having been appointed for the above Company are prepared Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Agents in Hongkong for the above to grant Policies against FIRE, to the Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, Merchandise in the same.

GILMAN & Co Hougkong, June 21, 1864.

Insurances.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

HE Undersigned have been appointed Agenta for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

IVERPOOL AND LONDON & GLOBE | viz :--Not exceeding 1 month, 1 per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3

Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE HE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are HE Undersigned having been appointed | prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future charged for Short Period Insurances One month. Three months. Six months, .

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } dof the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three

months,.... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding six months.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,

Hangkong Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE: FROM and after this date the following GOODS, at current rates. rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:--Not exceeding } dof the Annual Rate.

Above 1 month and not exceeding three months. bove 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL -Two MILLION STERLING. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings | year at the close of each current year, or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, } Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6,..... do Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868,

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates OLYPBANT & Co. Hongkong, August 9 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE SINGAPORE, CALOUTTA, BOMBAY, OF LONDON,

Hongkong, June 21 1864,

insurances.

NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1821.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hougkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding One d per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding > 1/2 per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months and not exceeding per cent. Six Months.

Thefull Annual Rate Above Six Months. of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, vir. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

REDUCTION In the Rates of Premium for

---FIRE INSURANCE. HE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-

FECTS. therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :--

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents. r per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. 11 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and

Company are prepared to grant Poli-

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL. THE Undersigned having been appointed L Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each po-

RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

LUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866. SAMARAN 3 SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. · RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM. PANY OF BATAVIA. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR. ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1866.

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perica Insurances:--

Not exceeding one month, f of the Annua tate. Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, 1 ,, Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months,....

Above 6 months,... the full annual rate. Agente.

TURNER & Co. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

Under 4 ounce. - - - 12 cents.

For every additional 4 oz., 12

Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory in each case.

P.M. of the 21st Instant, Specie and Hougkong CONTENTS AND VALUE

> 2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage on correspondence ad-

3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship. London at the following rates of Postage.

pton,.... 4 ,, ,,

oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every

General Post Office, Hongkong,

1.-On the 1st October next, and thence-

Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship For sums not exceeding £2,.....12 2.-No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

> 3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko- Life hama, will be paid at the rate of : Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation. 4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700

ited States Mail Packets via San Francisco. | the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible,

7.-When an Order is presented through the employ of such Bank.

who pays the Order,

SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

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